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Re: *Cost Management Services, Inc. v. Cascade Natural Gas Corporation*
Docket No. UG-061256

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and 10 copies of Commission Staff's Brief in Response to Motions and Briefs of Cascade Natural Gas Corporation and Cost Management Services, Inc., and Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,



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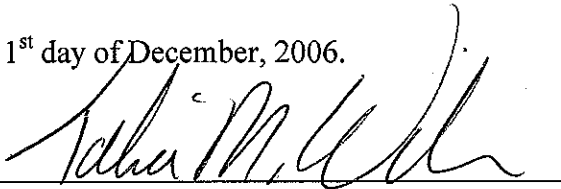
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